



Docket No.: H9876.0054/P054-A
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Yutaka Yamana et al.

Application No.: 10/694,741

Confirmation No.: 5402

Filed: October 29, 2003

Art Unit: 3714

For: DATA PROCESSING METHOD

Examiner: M. J. Thomasson

AMENDMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 13, 2007, finally rejecting claims 13-16, 25 and 26 and the Request for Continued Examination filed contemporaneously, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.